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The reply filed on March 2, 2009 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s). An amendment failing to point out the patentable novelty which the applicant believes the claims present in view of the state of the art disclosed by the references cited or the objections made may be held to be not fully responsive and a time period set to furnish a proper reply if the statutory period has expired or almost expired (MPEP § 714.03). The patentable novelty of new claims 68-71 has not been pointed out with respect to the state of the art disclosed by the references cited (see Teitelbaum (US 6,582,467)). While applicant's amendments to claims 37 and 55 overcome the rejections under 35 USC 102(b) over Beyar et al. (US 6,127,597), at least independent claims 37, 55 and 68 are anticipated by Teitelbaum et al. (art of record). See 37 CFR 1.111 and MPEP § 714.03.. See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be bona fide, applicant is given ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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